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Filed: December 15, 2000

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Title: OVERVOLTAGE PROTECTION CIRCUIT

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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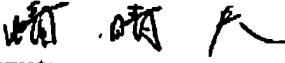
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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2004.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

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